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RESPONSE AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

The Notice of Allowance in the above application was mailed on September 13, 2006. An accompanying Notice of Allowability indicated, in paragraph 5, that corrected drawings were required in accordance with the notification in the Office Action mailed on January 24, 2005.

It is respectfully submitted that the drawing objection has been overcome and the requirement should be withdrawn.